

In re application of: Leymann et al.

Serial No.: 09/682,046

Group Art Unit: 2153

Filed: July 13, 2001

Examiner: Y. Barqadle

A METHOD FOR AVAILABILITY MONITORING VIA A SHARED DATABASE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				X	145 \$
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- ☒ Please charge any deficiency as well as any other fee(s) which may become due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and/or 1.17 at any time during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment of such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-0510/IBM. Also, in the event any extensions of time for responding are required for the pending application(s), please treat this paper as a petition to extend the time as required and charge Deposit Account No. 50-0510/IBM therefor. **TWO (2) COPIES OF THIS SHEET ARE ENCLOSED.**

Respectfully submitted,

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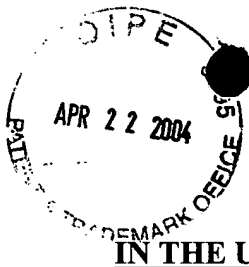
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

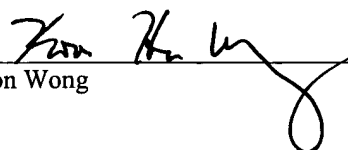
Sir:

This is a response to the Advisory Action mailed March 4, 2004 and the Final Office Action mailed December 18, 2003. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claim rejections based on the following remarks.

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